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SUBJECT: MBFR: DRAFT GUIDANCE CABLE TO AD HOC GROUP AS AGREED

AD REF BY SPC ON APRIL 26.

HELSINKI FOR USDEL MPT

VIENNA FOR USDEL MBFR

REF: A) USNATO 2064

SUMMARY: FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF DRAFT GUIDANCE CABLE TO  
AD HOC GROUP AGREED AD REP BY SPC ON APRIL 26.

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BEGIN TEXT

A.

ON THE BASIS OF THE EVALUATION CONTAINED IN THE

SPECIAL REPORT DATED 13 TH APRIL OF THE NETHERLANDS  
AND UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVES, THE COUNCIL AGREES THAT  
THE ALLIED NEGOTIATORS ACCEPT THE PROPOSAL ON PROCEDURES  
AND PARTICIPATION AS DESCRIBED IN THE ANNEX TO THAT REPORT  
AND REQUESTS THEM TO NEGOTIATE:

- FOR AS FAVOURABLE A POSITION AS POSSIBLE FOR THE  
EXCHANGE OF STATEMENTS, WHICH SHOULD PREFERABLY BE INCORPORATED  
INTO THE PROCEDURES PAPER AND IN ANY EVENT SHOULD BE IN  
WRITTEN FORM AS PART OF THE PACKAGE;

- FOR AGREEMENT THAT THIS ARRANGEMENT WILL BE CARRIED  
OVER TO THE NEGOTIATIONS, SUBJECT TO THE POSSIBILITY OF A  
CHANGE IN THE STATUS OF HUNGARY, AND THAT APPROPRIATE USE  
OF THE OUTCOME CAN BE MADE TO INFORM PUBLIC OPINION;

- FOR AGREEMENT ON AN AUTHORITATIVE WRITTEN VERSION OF THE  
COMPLETE TEXT, INCLUDING TRANSLATION.

B.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE ABOVE, THE COUNCIL STATES THAT ITS  
DECISIONS OF 12 TH MARCH SET OUT IN PARAGRAPHS C, D AND E  
AS WELL AS IN THE ANNEX OF THE CABLE FROM THE SECRETARY GENERAL  
TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE MBFR AD HOC GROUP REMAIN VALID.

C.

(I) THE COUNCIL FURTHER AGREES THAT, ONCE THE PROCEDURES  
AND PARTICIPATION ISSUES HAVE BEEN SATISFACTORILY RESOLVED,  
ALLIED NEGOTIATORS SHOULD ASCERTAIN EASTERN VIEWS ON THE  
AGENDA ITEMS AS SET OUT IN C- M(72)87(3 RD REVISE).

(II) IF AGREEMENT ON SUCH AN AGENDA DOES NOT SEEM  
PROBABLE WITHIN A REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME, AND SUBJECT  
TO CONTINUING COUNCIL REVIEW, THE ALLIED OBJECTIVE WOULD  
BE A SHORT AGREED COMMUNIQUE SPECIFYING THE DATE, PLACE  
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AND DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBSTANTIVE NEGOTIATIONS, AND FULLY  
PRESERVING THE ALLIED POSITION. THE DETAILED CONSIDERATION OF  
THE AGENDA WOULD BE LEFT TO THE NEGOTIATIONS. ANY REFERENCE  
TO PARTICIPATION AND PROCEDURES IN THE COMMUNIQUE WOULD BE  
CONSISTENT WITH THE AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED IN THE  
EXPLORATORY TALKS. END TEXT  
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